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## United Church

Church School, 10:30 a.m.; Public Worship, 11:30 a.m.; Communion Sunday. — The Lord's Supper will be administered, and we invite all those who love the Lord to come and partake of this Communion with us.

Communion will also be administered at:

Lethbridge, 2:00 p.m.; Social Plains, 7:30 p.m. Please remember the change in the hour of service.

Rev. Geo. A. Shields, Minister.

## Conference On Transportation

Regina, April 27.—An inter-provincial conference will be held in Regina, May 1, for the purpose of considering several important transportation problems of common interest to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. It was announced today, by George H. Smith, Saskatchewan freight rates expert, in confirmation of reports from Edmonton that such a conference is being called.

Mr. Smith said the conference would consider existing provincial freight rates, problems of surplus, and with a view to arriving at fair and equitable decisions, which will improve the existing economic position of farmers, retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers of the three prairie provinces.

The conference will be attended by representatives from the United Farmers of Manitoba, United Farmers of Canada (Sask. section), and United Farmers of Alberta; also by representatives of the wholesale grocery and hardware associations; representatives of Canadian Manufacturers' association (prairie division) together with representatives of the leading boards of trade of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

## Baseball Notes

On Monday evening, the high-school students played a team of town men and took the short end of a 7-3 score.

On Wednesday, the high school team again met a men's team. They redeemed themselves on their former display and went on a soaring rampage, forcing the seniors to take the small end of a one-sided score.

On the first of the week the Empress team visited Acadia Valley, and in a hectic game defeated the Valley contingent by a score of 12 to 4. The Valleyites took their total by 2 runs in the second and 2 in the third. The Empress went into high gear, starting, connecting for 4, 3 and 2 runs in the consecutive opening innings; getting another 2 markers in the sixth and 1 in the eighth of a nine inning game. The Valley were unlucky in that the breaks of the game were against them. G. Brodin and Fred. Kreugel shone brightly, the latter doing the pitching for Empress. Kreugel who had a good brand of wiles taking the mound is the second.

Valley—C. Hecklin, J. Gibson, T. Hecklin, V. Niwa, H. Dyck, R. Peers, W. Peers, A. Peers, F. Peers.

Empress—W. Leach, ss; Davison, c; Bowles, 1st; Glithner, 2nd; J. Turner, 3rd; Crozier, rf; Brodin, p; F. Pawlik, lf; G. Brodin, p; F. Kreugel.

The Valley team will play the return game on the Empress diamond, May 6. The Empress team go to Bindloss the first of the week.

## For Sale—Perennials

Strong, well-grown, mature old plants of Hostas or Sweet Rocket. Mrs. H. G. Moore, Bindloss.

## Will Donate Cup To Local Winner of Wheat Prize

Through the efforts of the Bindloss and District Farmers' Club, and Mr. Wm. Acton, the Secretary has received the following letter which it is our pleasure to ask you to publish:

"Mr. H. G. Moore,  
Secy.—Bindloss and District Farmers' Club,  
Dear Sir—Referring to your letter of 21st of Jan. last, we have pleasure in advising that our Head Office is looking after a Cup for the Winner of the highest aggregate number of points obtained by an exhibitor in this fair—and that it will be presented to this exhibitor on the date of the opening of the Seed Fair.

Yours truly,  
W. H. Acton, Manager.

We also beg to announce that we are making every endeavor to have our Seed Fair improvement over last year and watch this year for further improvements. Two Field Sowing competitions will be held each and a few more competitors will be accepted if they get in touch with the Secretary immediately.

Harold G. Moore, Bindloss.

## Cream Market Report

For the week ending April 18th, 1931, the following prices were paid by creameries per pound of butterfat, in the several grades of cream and at the points shown:

Jasper Dairy, Edmonton, Special grade, 30c; No. 1, 28c.

Calgary Creameries, special grade, 28c., No. 1, 26c., No. 2, 23c.

Minimum special grade, 27c.

No. 1, 25c.; No. 2, 22c.

24c.; off grade, 17c. 14c.

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Fire Threatens Alsask

Tuesday of last week fire broke out on the main street of Alsask in the old Globe store building. Efficient work of the fire brigade and 25,000 gallons of water were used in subduing the flames which threatened the business section of the town.

## Moves House Across River

A contractor Charlie Page at Drumheller, very recently moved a house across the Red Deer river. The shallowness of the water at this time made this feat possible.

## The Empress BAKERY

Get Your Bread, Cakes, and Pastry from us.

From Delive to make if required.

Bread 3 Loaves for 25c.

## MURRAY The Baker

Cod, Wood, Contract Work or

DRAYING

light or Heavy Work

Transfer to and from C.P.R. Depot

E. H. FOUNTAIN

Phone No. 9

## Hospital Notes

Mrs. G. White, of Atlee, was admitted as a patient on April 29.

Mrs. S. Codner was admitted to the hospital on April 30.

Mr. W. J. Nichols, of Empress, who was operated on April 27, is doing favorably.

Mr. Nelson Sander, who was admitted on April 26, is doing nicely.

Mrs. Geo. Miller, of Estuary, is now making good improvements.

## The Address

Ottawa, April 31, 1931.

The long debate ended last night when the votes were counted in the House of Commons. The most exciting event which had taken place in the House since the last session in 1929.

During the debate members

had pointed out that the Western

people were discouraged and

almost without hope in regard

to economic prospects.

Much criticism had been directed

against the actions of the

present and past Governments

and many suggestions had been

placed on Hansard for the

consideration of those in the seats

of the mighty.

The Speech of the Prime Minister was rather extraordinary as he set out to controvert much of what had been stated.

He stated that Western farmers

were not approaching a state

of insolvency as tens of thousands

of them had credit

balanced in the banks. He

stated that he would never

stand for the Government

paying the price of wheat.

He had figures to show that

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# Russian Plan Presents No Threat To World Says Sir Josiah Stamp

Winnipeg.—Russia's gigantic five-year collectivization plan is not seen as a threat to the economic well-being of the world, in the opinion of Sir Josiah Stamp, a famous British economist who is making his first visit to Canada. Mr. Alexander and Lady Stamp and their two children, the year-old chairman of the London Midland and Scottish Railway, and director of the Bank of England, reached a decision to head the Dominion Royal Commission on grain futures trading.

"I do not think that Russia will reach her five-year plan objective, though undoubtedly substantial progress will be made," said Sir Josiah. He pointed out that the standard of living is continually dropping under the索维特 system, and that the possibility of achieving a certain standard of living on a lower standard of life.

"I do not believe that the Russian experiment will hurt the rest of the world," stated Sir Josiah, referring to apprehensions expressed last April that Russia would be forced to adopt a centralized living standard due to increasing low-prices Russian exports.

"However," he added, "there must be some change in the general commodity price level in America before the world level gets back to its former footing."

"Any sign of readjusting wages to the former level would be a real blow, we want it to happen much too rapidly. Money wages have remained steady while the cost of living has gone down. Anything that allows real wages to rise too fast will bring about a general crisis. The way to better times will be through greater realigning in adjusting wages to the cost of living."

Though Sir Josiah refrained from comment on when matters in view of his position as a man of vision of enquiry, he admitted that the Wheat Pool's operations were not one of the 13 reasons to which he ascribed the coming world depression. "The Wheat Pool's market was purely local," he believed.

Sir Josiah considered "not very sensible" the proposal made in parts of Saskatchewan for a second of the provinces to follow the Dominion in the form of a "federal commonwealth" with Churchill as a part of it on Hudson Bay. "An empire cannot be unscratched," he commented.

Sir Josiah does not believe there is an actual war in the offing as a result of tariff moves in many nations, though he considered the proposed United States of Europe "a long way off," and thinks an international clearing system, to avoid continued trade in gold, would be the solution "would be little." The main problem in this line, he says, is to remedy the accumulation of gold.

He characterized as a "purely political" consideration the comment in the press that his mission to Canada extended beyond the limits of the futures trading commission and touched on the mobilization of Canada's resources in the line of securities to replace maturing commitments of nearly years.

Viscount Duncan Motor License Ottawa, Ont.—Viscount Duncan, son of the Earl of Bessborough, had an audience on May 1 with Ottawa in securing his license to operate an automobile. The Governor-General and his family arrived at Rideau Hall shortly before noon. For his audience Mr. Viscount Duncan was at the office of motor license to secure his permit.

Viscount Duncan Motor License

## Chicago's New Mayor

Mayor-Elect Cermak Buys With Re-Organization Of Municipal Government

Chicago—Speedy re-organization of Chicago's municipal government was promised by Mayor-Elect Anton J. Cermak.

The new mayor will have a working majority in the city council, considerably enhanced by victories which accompanied his own success. Thirty of the 50 aldermen are Democrats, and the 20 Republicans who were elected are classed as allies of Mayor Cermak.

"What are you going to do about Al Capone?" British reporters asked

the new mayor. "I am out of town," replied Cermak, "and my advice to him is to stay out for the next four years."

He is under sentence here now, you know, and I suggest that he stay in Florida, that's where he belongs."

Cermak laughed when the reporters asked about Thompson attack on the King.

"No, he isn't really anti-British."

The British is the smallest in Chicago

and decided to pick on British King No. 1 or any other king."

## Reduced Railway Fees

Drastic Cut For Summer Week-Ends Is Announced

Montreal—Drastic cuts in fares on Canadian railroads for the summer week-ends were announced by C. T. Riddell, chairman of the Canadian Railways Association after a session of conference. The new fares will go into effect May 1, and will continue through June and July.

The new round trip fare from Friday evening to Monday midnight will be only one and one-quarter times the present single fare.

The reduction will be of special benefit to those passengers wishing to travel in the summer.

The present round trip fare for 100 mile journey is \$6.25 and under the new week-end rate will only be \$4.25.

The reductions will apply between all stations in Canada and will commence with the first week-end in May.

## Radio Case Hearing

Reference To Supreme Court To Be Considered At May 10 Hearing

Ottawa, Ont.—Radio reference to the Supreme Court of Canada for a hearing on May 10, was learned yesterday.

On April 15, the Radio Grain Commission inquired into trading in futures. Chief Justice Brown was requested to represent the prairie provinces.

Sir Josiah Stamp, eminent London (England) lawyer, has been appointed chairman of the commission.

The representative of the Grain Exchange will be W. Sanford Evans, Winnipeg, whose selection has already been approved.

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**WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD**

Air mail can now be sent from London to 111 in 12 days.

No serious obstacle will be raised by the Alberta government in connection with a proposed \$100,000,000 power scheme to use waste gas.

Hon. Herbert Marler, Canadian minister of Supply, will arrive in Vancouver on May 14, and will leave for Ottawa May 16.

The International Hydro-Generator Plants Company Limited, a worldwide organization, has formed to develop fuel oil from coal.

A silver parrot, which was worth approximately \$90 when Samuel Pepys, the famous diarist, used it, was auctioned for approximately \$7,500.

More than 3,000 women of the naval dockyards and arsenals were discharged as a consequence of restriction of activities under the London naval treaty.

For Canada, the United States, Russia, Argentina and Australia holds the power to remedy agrarian economic ills, Louis Fischer says in his new book, "Why Recognition?"

A Bagdad despatch to the newspaper "Times of India" said that thousands of tribesmen and their cattle are dying of thirst and starvation. The worst drought in the history of the Indian Desert.

Another Indian report, the first man to fly over the North and South Poles states that he is planning another airplane expedition "into the polar regions" in the next few months. He would not reveal whether he would fly to the Arctic or Antarctic regions.

**Dream May Be Realized**  
Dr. Hugo Eckener, Zeppelin commander, had America goodyear seeing realization of his dream of scheduled trans-Atlantic airship flights by 1930. In ten years, Dr. Eckener believes two flights a week in either direction will be made.

**HEADACHES**

Needless pain like headaches are quickly relieved by Aspirin tablets. Millions of people know. And no matter how much a headache may come upon you, you can always be prepared. Carry the Aspirin tablet in your pocket with you. Keep the larger size at home. Read the proven directions for pain, headaches, neuralgia, etc.



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(By Annette)



DEMURE LITTLE MISS APPEARS

BY BETTY BARCLAY

Today's bold model is youthful in style and colouring.

It's fascinating in soft yellow and black, with a black belt and a Sprinkler without a topcoat. The collar is black, like all the French models, is a white piping.

It's stitched, professedly, separating the scallops to give a petticoat-like effect.

And to add to its attractiveness, it is accompanied by matching bloomers.

Style No. 200 is designed for girls of 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years.

It's made of a soft, washable, tweed-like cotton, wool crepe, wool jersey, rayon, moquette and linen are also perfect materials for this style of dress.

It is easily fashioned. A small expenditure will surprise you! 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

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Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg

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#### Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

**SUGAR COOKIES**

2½ cups special flour, sifted.

2 teaspoons baking powder.

½ teaspoon nutmeg.

½ cup butter or other shortening.

1 cup sugar.

2 eggs, well beaten.

Grated rind 1 lemon.

1 tablespoon cream.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and nutmeg, then sift together twice. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar, then cream, then eggs together until light and fluffy. Add eggs, lemon rind, and cream, and beat well. Add flour, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Roll out on a floured sheet on slightly floured board. Cut with floured cookie cutter and dredge with sugar. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees Fahrenheit) about 7 minutes. Makes 2½ dozen cookies.

#### CHEESE SAUCE

Cook ½ cup chopped celery in ½ cup salted boiling water 20 minutes. Drain, reserving both liquid and celery. Melt ½ tablespoon butter, add 1½ tablespoons flour, and when smooth, add the reserved celery liquid with enough water to make 1 cup. Stir and boil 1 minute.

Bring to boiling point, season to taste with paprika and more salt, if necessary, and keep over hot water until ready to serve. Just before serving, add 2 eggs, beaten, ½ cup cream, and cook 2 minutes.

"Women," said little Harold, "are always doing something to break a fellow's heart."

"I said little Jerry," my sister's just started giving me small change every Sunday, and then she married him."

#### Canadian Radio League

##### Support For Proposal To Form Two Railway Broadcasting Systems

Declaring the British Broadcasting Corporation Government and the Canadian Government control of a war propaganda machine and strongly opposing a national broadcasting system, J. Murray Gibbon, of the C.P.R., Montreal, has announced his opposition to the Canadian Forum of Toronto, in support of the proposal to form two railway broadcasting systems. Mr. Gibbon is general publicity agent of the C.P.R., and when C.P.R. broadcasting is discontinued.

Mr. Gibbon endorses the proposal of R. W. Ashcroft, of the Gooderham and Worts School, Toronto, that the C.P.R. and the Canadian Government "is the main principle" of the proposal so far suggested, he states. The private system would carry advertising and would not require a government subsidy. The public system would be subsidized by the educational programmes and it is his opinion that it would only interest ten per cent of the listeners. Mr. Gibbon is convinced that it would certainly not be a subsidy at the expense of the taxpayers.

There is a superfluity of small private stations, says Mr. Gibbon, and he advocates a re-allocation of wave-lengths between the two railway networks. The Canadian stations split wave-lengths and have proposed offensive direct advertising, but "to eliminate advertising from the air would deprive more than half the population of what they want, to provide intellectual substance for a few," he stated.

According to B.B.C. programmes, Mr. Gibbon says advertising is increasing in Britain and the Canadian Radio League that no advertising is carried is not borne out. The increase in the number of British listeners he is not due entirely to the popularity of B.B.C. programmes, but to the knowledge that an up-to-date programme provides reception for continental programmes.

Mr. Gibbon expects the coming of broadcasting in North America and the Canadian railroads \$20,000,000 worth of entertainment from American stations, and \$20,000,000 worth from Canadian. A generous estimate of the cost of talent in North America, he says, would be \$20,000,000. "It is because the half million Canadian radio fans have access to \$20,000,000 of entertainment that the Canadian radio business has been fairly prosperous in a period of general financial depression."

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Science claims it can give mankind synthetic air to breathe that is better than the natural atmosphere, the American Chemical Society was told.

Professor J. W. Hershey, McPherson College, McPherson, Kas., said experiments have shown that life can be sustained more healthfully with a chemical compound atmosphere, which can be maintained in buildings, in office buildings, airplanes and submarines, than with the nitrogen-oxygen that surrounds us.

Experiments with white mice show that in some cases they lived more healthfully in helium-oxygen than in nitrogen-oxygen, Professor Hershey said.

The strange mottled discoloration which attacks otherwise healthy teeth of children in certain parts of the country, notably Texas, is due to the chemical element fluorine, according to R. V. Churchill, who describes his invention as a "teeth whitener."

The fluorine discoloration, which apparently does not cause tooth decay but is located under the enamel, comes from the fluorine element sometimes present in drinking water, Churchill said.

South Africa's record gold production in J. is continuing this year.

Japan is launching several irrigation projects.



#### THE EXPRESS, EMPRESS

##### Apples In Egypt

###### Canadian Apples Are Being Well Received In the Cairo Market

The market for Canadian produce in Cairo is active and ever widening. Recent reports indicate that a potential market of considerable interest to Canadian growers is available in Egypt. Canadian apples are being sold at around \$4.80 per box. They have not only won recognition as the best apples coming onto the Egyptian Market, but apparently they can be sold down there at a price which is half that of the best apples other than fancy pack imports from the United States.—Dominion Department of Agriculture.

###### On Threshold Of Discovery

Dr. John Anderson, formerly of the London school of tropical medicine, died at Shanghai, China, after an operation, just when he believed himself to be on the threshold of a crowning discovery. He had been researching into the cause of the recurrent meningitis which has been sweeping the Orient.

According to Dr. Anderson, he succeeded a short time before his death in isolating the meningitis germ.

Regular air service between Europe and Australia is being considered.



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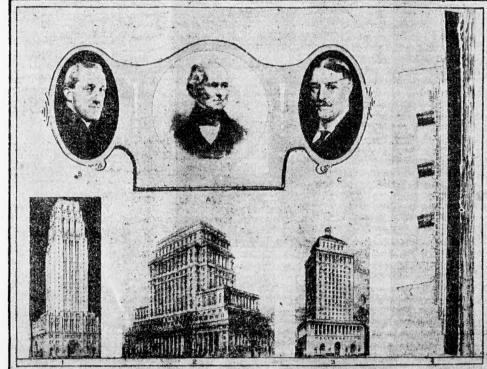
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New Hazard For Aviators

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C R. W. REFORD, Esq., Canadian Director of the Cunard Line.

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2 Sun Life Assurance of Canada Building, Montreal, 400 feet high.

3 The Royal Bank of Canada Building, Montreal, 385 feet high.

4 The NEW CUNARD STEAMSHIP, now under construction, 1,013 feet long.

The above photograph gives some idea of the immensity size of the new Cunard liner at present under construction. If the liner were placed on its end the bow of the ship would be more than five hundred feet higher than the top of the highest building in the British Empire.

Also pictured above is Sir Samuel Cunard, born in Halifax, N.S., who founded the Cunard Line in 1840. The present chairman of the line is Sir Percy Bates, Bart., G.B.E., while R. W. Reford, of Montreal, is Canadian resident director of the company.

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Thursday, April 30th, 1931

The Richard Kent show will  
be at the theatre, next Monday  
evening.

"Ole of the Hills" is the title,  
A six people play. A rollicking  
comedy.

A. Hankin, was a visitor to  
Leader, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur,  
have gone to Cold Lake.

Mrs. F. Barry is having a com-  
ment cribbing placed under her  
two school.

The school basket-ball goal  
net-carriers are being erected  
on iron standards set in cement.

Messrs. Lovie and Erwin, two  
electricians experts from Regina,  
were in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Stothers and baby  
daughter, Shirley, are visiting with  
the former's parents at  
Burstall, Sask.

Mrs. Sandcock, sr. and Mrs.  
F. G. Sandcock, and baby  
daughter, are visiting out at  
the Montgomery farm.

Mrs. Wm. Acton, returned  
on Saturday from her trip to  
Edmonton.

FOR SALE — Mothers Day  
Flowers: house, window box,  
plants, also Home Baking  
at the Municipal Building  
on Saturday, May 9th, at 8  
o'clock. Tea will be served.

The Ladies of the Congregation  
will hold their regular  
monthly meeting at the home  
of Mrs. G. Shields, on Thurs-  
day, May 7th, at 8 o'clock.

School Inspector Carr was a  
visitor to the local school on  
Wednesday and today for in-  
spection purposes.

Charlie O'Leary, has arrived  
back from his holidays and re-  
sumed his duties on the local  
bus staff, this week.

The monthly meeting of the  
10-14 Club will be held on Tues-  
day, May 4th, at the home of  
Mrs. E. S. Sexton.

Mrs. Grant and baby, and  
Miss Grace Robertson, arrived  
from Calgary on Thursday, and  
are visiting with their step-  
mother, Mrs. D. Robertson.

Remember the Tea and Sale  
of Flowers, Plants and Home  
Baking at the Municipal Build-  
ing on Saturday, May 9th, under  
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# Health Service

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## Care Of The Ears

The ear is divided into three  
parts. The outer ear extends  
from the outside surface to the  
eardrum behind which lies  
the middle ear. The middle  
ear is connected with the upper  
part of the throat by the Eustachian  
tube.

The existence of this tube  
makes it comparatively easy  
for any infection to spread up  
from the middle ear into the  
nose or throat. The middle  
ear is a common seat of disease,  
and may result in deafness, is not  
infrequent a complication of  
measles and scarlet fever.

To prevent ear disease, we  
should begin by preventing, as  
far as possible, infections of the  
nose and throat. Such infections  
include the common cold, measles,  
scarlet fever, diphtheria.

Enlarged adenoids should be  
removed. One reason which  
makes their removal advisable  
is that they often interfere  
with the opening of the Eustachian  
tube and so cause deafness.  
Deafness, and, at the same time,  
increase the chance of infection.

The middle ear, in addition  
to being connected by the throat  
by means of the Eustachian  
tube, are also connected with  
the cavities which are contained  
in the bone, and which may be  
felt behind the ear — the mastoid.

It is important and desirable  
to protect the middle ear from  
infection in order to preserve  
the hearing, and it is equally  
important to do so because of  
the danger of mastoid disease.  
Just as the middle ear becomes  
diseased by the spread of infection  
from the throat up the Eustachian  
tube, so disease is spread from  
the middle ear to the mastoid.

A running ear should never  
be allowed to go on without  
proper treatment, as the belief  
that it will get better of itself,  
or, if it occurs in a child, that  
he will outgrow it. The dis-  
charge may cease in time and  
it may seem that a cure has  
taken place, but in such cases  
appearances are usually decep-  
tive.

What has happened in many  
cases of this type is that by  
the time the discharge has  
ceased, the middle ear has  
been so damaged that it is  
no longer able to function  
properly. The result is that  
the ear becomes deaf.

The Province of New Brunswick  
has the largest bird banding  
program in Canada. In 25 years  
when a band of 99,433 was accepted  
for registration, the total was  
45,215,476 and the average per  
year was 1,818 over the last  
period of 10 years.

Cadmium, a by-product obtained  
in the production of zinc was  
produced for the first time in Canada  
in 1930. The total output was  
4,000 lbs. more than in 1929.

Portuguese is the latest recruit to  
the forthcoming World's Grain  
Exhibition and Conference to be  
held in Regina from April 27-30.  
Eleven countries have so far  
notified their intention to show.

Oil production in Alberta is de-  
veloped on the upgrade, according to  
the provincial government's  
recent report. Total output  
in 1930 was 1,433,844 barrels  
compared with 999,152 in 1929.

Placement of 1,600,000 salmon fry  
is being carried on throughout  
different sections of Nova Scotia, a generous percentage  
of which are expected to live and  
thrive.

Crates estimated at 500,000  
each watched the Empress of Britain  
sail down the Clyde from her birth  
place at Chatham, and made  
the 13,000 mile voyage to  
Vancouver. The ship was escorted by  
six tugs, a police launch and six  
airplanes. The liner will be  
built for a speed of 24 knots  
and has already done 26 knots in  
preliminary trials.

The Bonavista terminal strip at St.  
Ignace, Ontario, which connects  
the Bonavista and St. John  
Arroll, Canadian Pacific main  
line, has been sold to the  
Government of Newfoundland.  
It appeared in conversation  
between Arroll and his family.  
The latter will now visit his friends  
in Vancouver where he has just  
seen for nearly half-a-century.

The Bay of Fundy steamer, the  
"Empress of the Bay," will be in  
summer season this year and will  
open in June of the 1931 season.  
The steamer will have a  
mouth, heavy tourist traffic, will be  
fed for through Saint John in  
both directions. The steamer  
The Cornwall Inn at Kentville  
and the Pines at Digby will be  
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has ceased, the hearing mechanism  
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hearing is lost entirely, or there  
is a permanent partial loss.  
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of a child is to expose him to be  
def when he grows up.

Ear drops are available in  
the middle ear. It is a trouble  
which should not be disregarded.  
Temporary relief may be had by applying to the  
ear a hot water bottle, or cloths  
wrung out in hot water, but  
this is nothing more than temporary.  
The physician's advice should be secured.

Fall Pasture for Swine—cont.  
to the freeze-up in November.  
Rape also makes a very sat-  
isfactory pasture for the sum-

mer and fall. Rape gives the  
largest amount of pasture, and  
if not allowed to get more than  
ten inches high it is quite palatable.  
It is well not to graze rape too closely.  
When the plant has been grazed until each  
stool contains only five leaves  
or less, grazing should be dis-  
continued and the pigs removed  
to another pasture. When

handled in this way, rape will  
give a good pasture until late  
into the fall. Four to five  
pounds is sufficient for feeding  
in drills thirty inches apart,  
while eight or ten pounds are  
necessary if the seed is drilled  
or broadcast the same as an  
ordinary grain crop. A good  
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